PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Hiroshi ITO et al.

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For: **CURABLE RESIN COMPOSITION**

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Prior to the calculation of the filing fees of the above application, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 4, 5, 7, 10 and 11 as follows:

4. (Amended) The curable resin composition according to Claim 1 or 2 wherein the main chain of the reactive silicon group-containing polyether oligomer (I) is mainly formed from polypropylene oxide.